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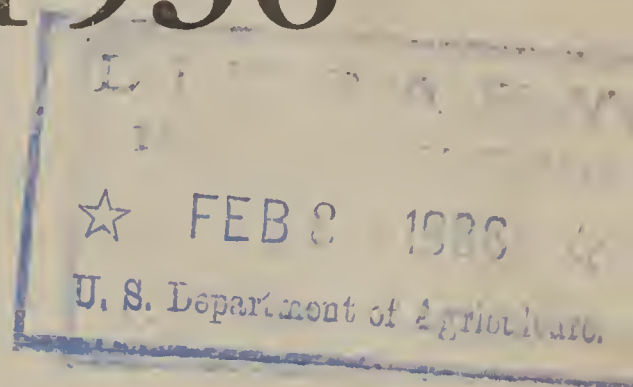
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FRUIT AND

ORNAMENTAL TREES



# VILLAGE NURSERIES

Certified and Registered Raspberries

Peach and Apple Trees

Jos. H. Black, Son & Co.

HIGHTSTOWN, NEW JERSEY

# FRUIT TREES

Planters desiring to purchase any fruit trees should order early. The list of varieties is limited as well as quantity. Many nurseries are not listing them at all.

## PEACH TREES

The past two severe winters damaged thousands of orchard trees so badly that it is unlikely that any plantings made previous to 1933 will be alive two years hence. Therefore the grower who plants orchards this year and next will be sure to have but little competition in the markets when they come into bearing.

Our trees are grown on seedlings of natural Tenn. mountain strain and the buds were taken from orchards that bore the finest type of that variety which we wanted to grow. We have our nurseries remote from any orchards which might transmit diseases and breed insects.

**Prices.—Except Adams Late, which is 5c per tree extra.**

	1 to 9 Each	10 to 29 Each	30 to 70 Each	100 Each
4 to 6 ft. ....	40c	35c	30c	27c
3½ to 5 ft. ....	35c	30c	25c	22c
3 to 4 ft. ....	30c	25c	23c	20c
2 to 3 ft. ....	25c	22c	20c	15c

**Same prices by parcel post, postage C.O.D.**

We can do **Cumberland, Kathryn and Roberta** in June Buds.

Postpaid .....	25c	23c	20c	17c
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**Those varieties marked with (\*) we only have in the two large sizes.**

### NAMED IN ORDER OF RIPENING

**Maules Early.**—Red with skin almost entirely covered with red, medium, fair quality, half cling and the earliest of all peaches. Its extreme earliness, hardiness in bud and fine in color, make it a very desirable market variety.

**Cumberland.**—A seedling of Belle crossed with Greensboro. Large oval, white-fleshed, usually free. Ripens a few days before Carman. Recommended as a variety to precede the Carman season.

**Kathryn.**—It bears very young; three-year-old trees were loaded with fruit and it shows a lot of fruit buds on one-year-old stock in the nursery row. The fruit is large, slightly elongated, very regular in size and shape, making a splendid appearing peach. It is a perfect freestone. Its season of ripening is along with the last of Carman but extends over a slightly longer period. The color is clear cream-tinted white overspread with a beautiful pink which is a very deep.

**Golden Jubilee.**—Without question the Golden Jubilee is the best peach of recent introduction.

This variety was propagated by cross-pollenization by the New Jersey Experimental Station and this is what they say about it: "It is similar to Elberta in tree habit and form and appearance of the fruit. It is essentially an early Elberta." It is certainly a fine, early, yellow freestone, ripening at a time which assures it a splendid market.

**N. J. 66.**—New Jersey No. 66 is the result of a cross of J. H. Hale X 40 C. S., another experiment station seedling. It is a large, round, oval, white-fleshed freestone, which ripens at the same season as Carman and closely follows Golden Jubilee. The tree is equal to Carman or Belle in vigor, the fruit is even larger and more attractively colored with red than Cumberland and much firmer in flesh. The fruit hangs to the tree well, even after it is ripe, and retains its firmness well. The quality is good and a bit sprightly.

**Eclipse.**—"A self-pollinated seedling of Belle. A dark red, yellow-fleshed texture and good flavor, ripening with Hiley. Size equal to Hiley, tree more vigorous. Fruit oval, flesh grained, excellent shipper, hangs to tree well." We consider this the highest quality of all yellow peaches and one of the hardiest.



**Slappy.**—Very hardy, handsome yellow fruit, keeps splendidly, flesh yellow, sweet and excellent flavor.

**N. J. 87.**—A large oval, firm yellow-fleshed and striped freestone of high quality. It ripens just ahead of the Belle of Ga. and should be a valuable market variety because of its size and season.

**Belle of Georgia.**—It is of large size, uniform in shape and very showy. Quality is good to excellent. It comes into bearing young and is prolific and picks over an extended period, finishing just as Elberta begins.

\* **Early Elberta.**—A fine yellow peach ripening just ahead of Elberta which is similar in shape but is of better color and quality.

**Elberta.**—Very large, skin golden yellow and where exposed to the sun, faintly striped with red, flesh yellow, very fine grain, juicy, rich, sweet and splendidly flavored; tree very prolific and presents a handsome appearance and a luxuriant growth. It is a perfect freestone and one of the most successful market varieties. Does well anywhere.

**Globe White.**—A firm white peach, large, round and freestone. It ripens along with Elberta and its size, high quality and season makes it the equal of any white peach of the same season. We recommend it and guarantee it, is unexcelled in any particular by any white variety ripening with Elberta and Hale.

**Hale.**—It ripens with and after Elberta. It is yellow with a bright red cheek, clear yellow flesh of high quality. Fruit is high quality. Tree is of rather dwarf bushy habit. Fruit is very large. It proved itself as hardy as any variety by bearing where any others bore in 1935. The best crop of peaches we ever saw anywhere was in an orchard of 1000 Hale without any variety to pollinize.

**Brackett.**—Ripens after Elberta is finished, extending the yellow peach season. It is a deep yellow, well shaded with carmine, entirely free and because of its splendid quality and season it always is profitable for market.

**Roberta.**—This is a late variety of Elberta that has all the good qualities of its parent and lengthens the season considerably.

**Late Elberta.**—A large, handsome, highly colored peach, very similar in appearance to Elberta but ripens later. If this is not the so-called Roberta it is so near that the best judges cannot tell them apart.

\* **Foxes.**—Red, white skin with a pretty red cheek. Larger, slightly oblong, free, very high quality. It comes at a good season, after Elberta is gone.

\* **Salberta.**—A large late yellow freestone peach of distinct Elberta type with good color and quality. Very similar to Roberta only ripens a week later.

\* **Adams Late.**—From John W. Adams orchard. We have repeatedly said it was the best of all peaches ripening after Elberta. It is larger and of better quality. A sport of Brackett that ripens ten days later. A very large, yellow freestone with much finer coloring than Elberta and far better quality.

We recommend this as a "sure-fire" money maker for any section because its season, quality and coloring will make a demand and its good keeping qualities will appeal to every buyer, be he a dealer or consumer.

**Five cents above the prices of other varieties. This five cents goes to Mr. Adams.**

\* **Krummels October.**—A hardy peach of good quality. Flesh yellow, skin light orange with a bright red cheek. Preferable to Salway with which variety it ripens. A very desirable market variety.



**Adams Late**

**Iron Mountain.**—Pure white; white skin sometimes has a slight blush. Large to very large, egg-shaped, free, of the very highest quality. The best canning peach ever grown as well as the best eating variety. Hardy in bud.



# APPLE TREES

There were no apple seedlings for the spring planting of 1934, hence there are no one-year buds and a consequent shortage of two-year-olds. There was a short crop of seedlings in 1935, therefore only a limited supply of one-year grafts.

**Prices:—Except Reddest Delicious, Yellow Delicious, Red Rome and Black's Staymans, all of which are 5c per tree extra.**

	1 to 9 Each	10 to 29 Each	30 to 70 Each	100 Each
5 to 7 ft., 2 yr. ....	75c	60c	55c	50c
4 to 6 ft., 2 yr. ....	65c	55c	50c	45c
5 to 7 ft. Staymans and Rome Beauty alone,	\$45.00 per 100.			

**All sizes by parcel post, postage C.O.D.**

We can do one-year grafts in the following:—English Codling, Twenty Ounce, Reddest Delicious, Baldwin, McIntosh, Wealthy, Red Codling, Staymans and Delicious.

	Each	Per 10 Each	Per 30 or more Each
1-year grafts, postpaid .....	50c	40c	30c

## NAMED IN ORDER OF RIPENING

**Starr.**—Early, profitable as a market apple, is large to very large, a splendid cooking apple. Is a good keeper and shipper; color greenish yellow, sometimes showing a red cheek; medium grower and does well on all soils.

**English Codling.**—A very large green apple that the pie makers are using almost exclusively during the two weeks that its season covers. We recommend it as a market variety that you can plant anywhere even on low ground where no other variety will thrive, spreading, low branched.

**Ohio Nonpareil.**—Fruit is enormous in size, one-half of each specimen bright red, very high quality.

**Red Codling** or

**Monmouth Beauty.**—Ripens just ahead of Wealthy, fruit large to very large; color is beautiful, red stripings and splashings over a yellow ground. (One-year grafts only.)

**Twenty Ounce.**—This variety does not ripen until a later season but usually is picked while still green at this time or earlier. Is sold as a pie apple just as soon as it reaches a good size as its quality for cooking is better than later when it becomes a red apple and less juicy. Tree is upright grower on all soils.

**Wealthy.**—Fall, almost entirely covered with red. Skin very smooth, flesh white, large, fine quality for any purpose. Tree upright and is an early and heavy bearer on all soils but gives finest color on lighter soils. (In one-year grafts only.)

**McIntosh.**—This great favorite in the market is a fall apple in Central and Southern Jersey. Its color is purplish red overlaying the yellow green ground. Quality the very highest, size medium to quite large; tree of moderate spread. (In one-year grafts only.)

**Delicious.**—Most people consider this the best of all eating apples. It is well and favorably known and therefore sells well. Almost or entirely red, large, conical. Moderate spread on any soil. (One-year grafts only.)

**Reddest Delicious.**—The reddest and best of all strains of the many Delicious sports and the original variety should never be planted when these are available. (Only a few two-year-olds @ 5c per tree extra but a good supply of one-year grafts.)

**Macoun.**—We advise this variety in preference to McIntosh. This is a true McIntosh type of deep red coloring ripening much later. We picked some from the trees after our Staymans and Paragon were picked and they came off hard. We kept samples on our office desk for six weeks and while they had dried out they still retained the splendid McIntosh quality.

They are fully as large as McIntosh and even on heavy clay loam had splendid coloring and showed no russetting.

**Opalescent.**—The most attractive variety of its season. The best very large apple we have ever grown. It is very attractive in color, being glossy, rich, solid red that covers almost the entire apple, the ground being a clear yellow. Its size and color would sell it but its quality gets orders for the next day. As a baking apple it is unsurpassed.

**Baldwin.**—This apple in Jersey is usually classed as a fall or early winter apple. It bears young and if properly thinned both in trimming and fruit will bear a fine crop of very large apples. Fruit large to very large, red all over and good quality; tree spreading any soil. (Only a few of two-year-olds but a good supply of one-year grafts.)

**Yellow Delicious.**—**This variety is 5c each above regular prices.** We have fruited this type of Delicious in our orchards for several years and find it a high quality apple that bears well every year and commands a high price in the market. It is superior in quality to Delicious and does well everywhere. Tree upright.

**Rome Beauty.**—As an early winter apple for New Jersey this has proven to be the most profitable. Its fine appearance and size always attracts the buyer. Color is bright red over a beautiful yellow ground, large to very large size; quality good, both for cooking and eating. Tree large, spreading, all soils, but gets its best color on light or gravelly ground.

**Red Rome.**—(Coxes.)—Red, all over, large, good keeper, tree identical to Rome Beauty. Quality equal to and by some considered superior to Rome Beauty. We have seen two distinct types of Red Rome. One was too small to be desirable, the other one known as Coxes Red Rome is, we think, a better variety than Rome Beauty for the orchard planted on heavy soil. (Only a few two-year-olds @ 5c per tree extra.)

**Staymans.**—(Staymans Winesap.)—After many years of growing this variety we still consider it the very best of all winter apples for market, home use and quality.

We have found this to be our most reliable and profitable orchard variety. (In all sizes of two-year and one-year.)

**Black's Staymans.**—Again this year it has proven to be superior in all-over coloring on heavy soil. It is much better than the original strain in coloring on all soils. In every other particular it is absolutely the same.

**The supply is very limited and the price is 5c above general list.**

**Mammoth Black Twig.**—(Paragon.)—It is more solid than Staymans, a brighter color and keeps very late in the ordinary cellar, a heavy cropper.

## PLUM TREES

(on plum roots)

Prices .....	1 to 3 Each	4 to 9 Each
	75c	70c

**Same prices by parcel post, postage C.O.D.**

**Bradshaw.**—A large, early, dark purplish red variety of good quality.

**German Prune.**—Fruit oval in shape, nearly two inches long of good quality for the table and much esteemed for drying and preserving; hangs long on the tree and is firm, sweet and pleasant.

**Green Gage.**—Green plum of the very best quality.

**Reine Claude.**—A large, fine variety, skin greenish yellow, covered with thick bloom; flesh yellow, juicy, melting, with a rich, sugary, excellent flavor.

For New Jersey we consider this the best market plum we have ever grown.

## PEAR TREES

Strong, No. 1 (or by P. P., postage C.O.D.) .....	1 to 4 Each	5 to 9 Each	10 Each
	80c	75c	70c

**Bartlett.**—Everyone knows this fine, midsummer pear of splendid eating, cooking and canning qualities.

**Seckle.**—A small russeted variety of highest quality and very sweet.

**Keiffer.**—For New Jersey it is the most profitable of all pears and while not as high quality as some others it bears well and with proper care of the fruit it is very delicious and juicy, splendid for cooking and canning.

As long as they last we will sell 50 or more Keiffer at 50c each.



# SWEET CHERRIES

Sweet cherries are Hearts or Bigarreaus and are strong upright growers. Set 36 feet apart.

Prices .....	Each 1 to 3 80c	Each 4 to 9 75c
Same prices by parcel post, postage C.O.D.		

- Black Tartarian.**—It is the old standard black cherry, juicy and excellent quality. Large.
- Gov. Wood.**—A yellow variety having a bright red cheek, flesh is firm.
- Mercer.**—A large dark red cherry of finest quality, very hardy and the best of all for canning. The best of them all.
- Napoleon.**—A light red and yellow cherry of large size.
- Schmidts.**—Another dark red cherry of great hardness and fine quality.
- Lambert.**—One of the largest of all cherries. It is purple-red, firm and rich. Every year sees an enormous crop, and the tree grows well.
- Centennial.**—The fruit is of immense size; beautiful and shaded red, with very firm, yet tender flesh, sweet, rich, luscious.
- Yellow Spanish.**—An amber cherry with a bright red cheek, its solid flesh makes it a fine canning variety.

# SOUR CHERRIES

This class are of dwarf spreading habit. They bear young and regularly. Set 16 feet apart. 170 trees to the acre.

Prices .....	1 to 3 Each 70c	4 to 9 Each 65c	10 or more Each 60c
By parcel post, postage C.O.D.			

- Large Montmorency.**—A large cherry, which when fully ripe is not objectionably sour. It is a regular and heavy bearer coming into fruit at three years and is the best for canning, preserving and market of all cherries. For pies and spicing it is unsurpassed. The pit is small and separates easily from the meaty flesh.

# MULBERRIES

- As an attraction for birds because of its long season there is no fruit that equals it. Many people also enjoy this fruit.
- Hicks Everbearing.**—This is a strong growing attractive tree that bears great crops of large black fruit soon after planting.  
4 to 5 ft., 65c each; 3 for \$1.75.
- Teas Weeping.**—This is really an ornamental lawn tree but it bears great quantities of small black berries that are very sweet.  
Strong 2 year heads, \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.00.
- Teas Mulberry**—At the nursery at \$1.25 each.

# NUT TREES

- We handle nothing but grafted trees which are sure to bear good, large easy cracking nuts when quite young.
- English Walnuts.**—This well known nut is hardy as far north as New York City and bears well.  
4 to 5 ft., Wiltz Mayette, hardy and quick bearing, \$3.00 each.
- Black Walnuts.**—There is no other nut tree that will bear as soon and so many nuts  
Our stock is Thomas grafted, the nuts of which are large and the meat can be easily removed with the fingers when properly cracked.  
4 to 5 ft. Thomas grafted, \$2.25 each.



## QUINCES

Prices.—1 to 3 @ 75c each; 4 or more @ 70c each.

**Orange.**—Roundish, bright golden yellow, very large, fine grained, fine quality. Best for cooking. Firm, will stand shipping.

**Bourgeat.**—Strong grower, prolific, hardy. Fruit large, smooth and fine grained.

## GRAPES

On an arbor, plant no closer than 10 feet and the rows should be at least 6 feet apart. For vineyards plant 8 feet by 12 feet, which takes 450 plants per acre. In pruning cut back hard every year, leaving no more than two eyes on the new growth and leave no closer than one foot apart on one stem. The less branches there are the larger the bunches of berries will be. Cultivate well but do not fertilize very much.

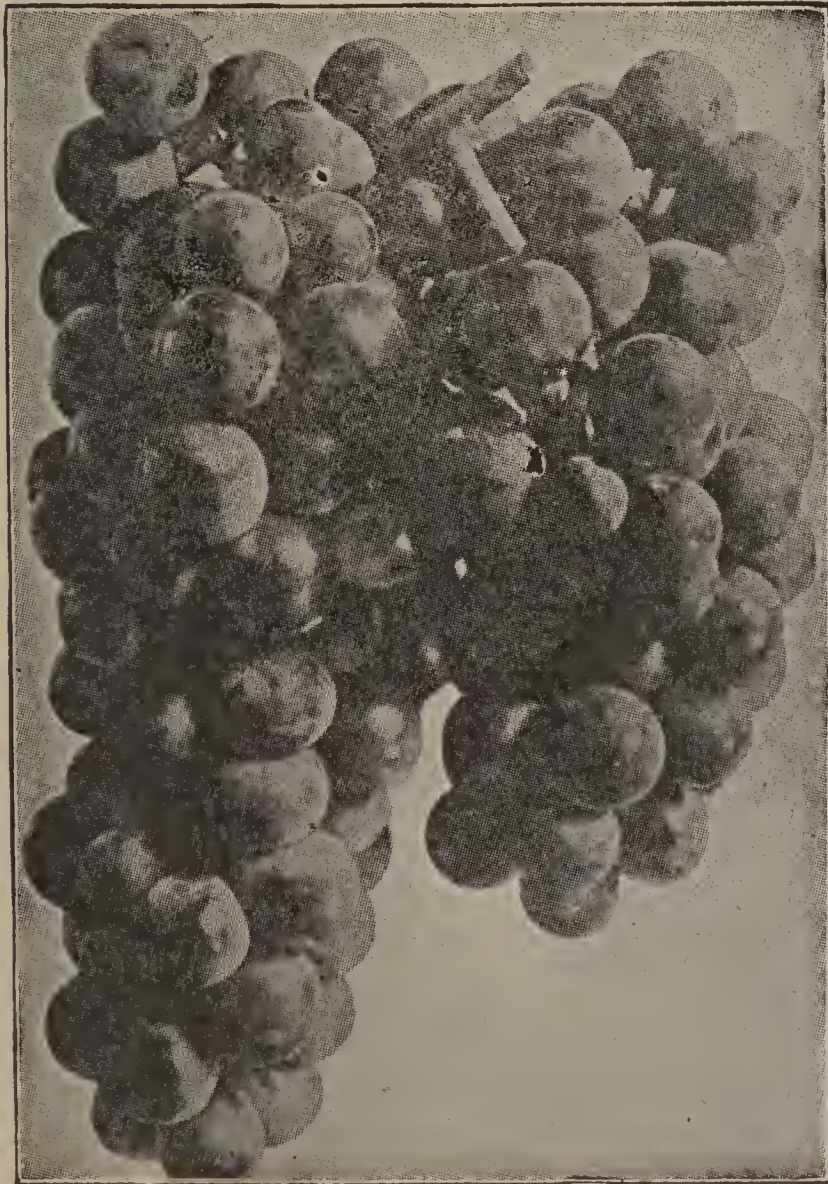
In planting, cut back the top to two eyes and cut the roots back to within three inches of the old cutting and use no manure or fertilizer in the holes.

**Prices—unless otherwise quoted.**

	Each	Per 3	Per 10
1 year .....	20c	50c	\$1.25
2 year .....	25c	60c	\$1.75

By parcel post postpaid at above prices any point east of the Mississippi.

**Brighton.**—Early, large clusters, sweet, rich, and finest quality. Berry large, wine red with abundant bloom. Bunch of good size, compact and good form. Ripens in advance of Concord. Vine a very strong vigorous grower, healthy and prolific.



**Concord**

**Campbells Early.**—Black, large, early; large bunches; best early black variety.

**Caco.** — A new grape of high quality and luscious flavor. Vine vigorous and healthy. A handsome large red variety.

**Concord.**—Black, large, midseason, large bunches. The most popular of all varieties, everywhere for all purposes.

2 yr., \$9.00 per 100;

1 yr., \$8.00 per 100.

**Delaware.**—Red, small, midseason; large compact shouldered bunches; sweet and fine.

**Niagara.** — White, large, late, extra large shouldered compact bunches, slightly aromatic. The best white variety for the market.

**Portland.**—White, the earliest of all grapes. Large bunch and berry; flesh sweet, juicy, and of fine flavor. A valuable early grape for home gardens.

**Worden.** — Black, very large, ripens just ahead of Concord; bunch large and compact. Sweet and fine, one of the best.



# STRAWBERRY PLANTS

Our list is short and best suited varieties for this section. They are our own grown and fresh dug every day. We have no very late varieties as our seasons seldom are such as to permit these to be profitable. We do not grow Chesapeake because it is such a poor plant maker that the crop per acre is very small.

Our plants are grown solely for plants. Therefore they are all young plants.

When plants are dug from the middles of fruiting beds, all the best plants are left for fruiting and you get the poorest.

This most delicious of all fruits is the most easily grown, costs less to start and grow and gives the quickest results.

In a garden they should be planted one foot apart and the rows not closer than three feet apart. For market they should be planted one foot or fifteen inches apart in the row and we prefer 4 feet but some put them 3 feet, others 3½.

Set 1 x 3 ft., it takes 14,500 plants per acre; 1 x 4 ft., 10,900; 15 in. x 3 ft., 11,600; 1 x 3½ ft., 13,850; 15 in. x 3½ ft., 9,950; 15 in. x 4 ft., 8,700.

Prices for all varieties:

	25	50	100
By parcel post prepaid .....	35c	60c	\$1.00
By express prepaid .....	30c	50c	70c

Prices per 300, 500 and 1,000 under each variety, these quantities can also be sent by parcel post, postage C.O.D.

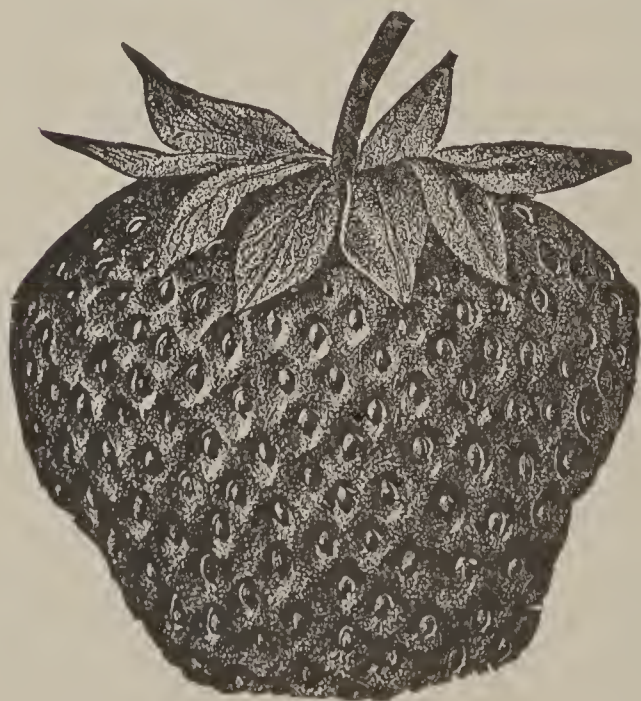
**Dorsett.**—U. S. Department variety sent out in 1933. A good plant maker, holds up the berries well. Fruit is bright red of good quality and firm.

As a market berry we consider this, after a thorough test, to be the best early variety we have ever grown. Another year proves this to be a wonderful market berry.

300 for \$1.50; 500 for \$2.50; 1,000 for \$4.00.

**Fairfax.**—Another U. S. Department release of 1933. This variety is the most productive, best quality and largest of all early varieties. The color is a rich red. It is very firm and stands up well. For home use and nearby market it is superior to all others. Plant strong and a good plant maker holding up its fruit well, in fact, the strongest and heaviest rooted plant we have ever grown. Every one who fruited it last year found it the best early variety they had ever grown or seen.

300 for \$1.50; 500 for \$2.50; 1,000 for \$4.15; 5,000 for \$20.00.



Joe

**Premier.** — A well tested variety of merit among early varieties. Until the U. S. Department berries came out it was superior to all other early varieties for size, color, and firmness and by some is considered equal to any. 300 for \$1.50, 500 for \$2.00, and 1,000 for \$3.75.

**Joe.**—(Big Joe.)—No matter what you call it, it remains the best of all varieties of its season which is midseason to late. After thirty years of fruiting it remains at the top when all the others that were known at that time have been dropped. It's continued success is due to vigor and size of plant, firmness, high quality and good quality of its berries. For home or market it never has had an equal in any season. 300 for \$1.50, 500 for \$2.50, 1,000 for \$4.00, and 5,000 for \$18.00.

Remember that our plants are all fresh

dug from beds grown solely for plants which are strong and sturdy.

**Improved Success.**—There never was an extra variety that pleased the whole family as well as old reliable Success. We offer this as equally good in every respect and holds its size longer.

300 for \$1.50, 500 for \$2.50.



## RED RASPBERRY PLANTS

Our red varieties are grown for plants only on fields not used for that purpose for several years and remote from any fruiting plants that might breed disease. They are twice inspected and pronounced free of disease. They are dug with a power digger and carefully graded. Spade dug plants from fruiting patches have been so unsatisfactory to our customers that we do not handle them any more. If you want good results use these disease-free and extra well rooted plants direct from the introducer in Minnesota for whom we are authorized distributors of Latham.

60c per 10; \$2.50 per 100; postpaid.

50c per 10, \$2.00 per 100; \$17.00 per 1000, by express.

Our nursery grown plants are worth double the average suckers dug from fruiting patches. The latter very frequently fail altogether.

### LATHAM (Redpath Strain)

Big, luscious, prolific and profitable. Recommended throughout the state.

In appearance, it excels all others. It holds up well. It bears 50% more per acre than any other variety yet known. It sells for higher prices than any other.

We recommend it as being the best Red Raspberry we have ever fruited or seen. Every customer who has bought plants from us give it the highest praise and every year increases its popularity with us.

Upon request we will send a folder with colored plates showing the size and color of the fruit and many recommendations from the best authorities.

We are direct distributors in New Jersey by authority of the original growers who send us certified plants.

2,000 for \$30.00.



Latham

**Chief.** — Plants are very hardy, vigorous and productive, resistant to diseases that attack others. Fruit medium size round to slightly thimble shaped of bright attractive red, does not crumble, flesh firm, juicy, sweet, of high quality. Early.

**St. Regis.** — (Red.) This red variety is known as an Ever bearing. It is very early medium in size of good quality. Late in summer and during the fall the young shoots produce a crop of quite large fruit which is delicious.

### NEWBURGH

A splendid New Red Raspberry. It has everything to recommend it. Fruit is large. Plants very vigorous and disease resistant and hardy. Mid-season. Introduced by New York Fruit Testing Association, who say: "The color is a bright, attractive red. In keeping and shipping quality it has no superior. The plants are vigorous, hardy, and very productive, in fact, the weight of the fruit is so great that the canes are often bent to the ground. The fruit is borne out in the open where it may be readily picked.

Prices—75c per 10; \$3.50 per 100.

# BLACK CAP RASPBERRIES

25 for \$1.00; 50 for \$1.50; 100 for \$2.50; 1,000 for \$15.00.

**Cumberland.**—The standard mid-season black-cap for home and commercial use in most localities. The berries are large, attractive, conical, firm and of excellent quality; rich and sweet. The plants are vigorous and hardy and very productive throughout a long picking season.

**Plum Farmer.**—An early black-cap ripening about one week before the Cumberland. Fruit large, broadly rounded and firm, of good quality. The plants are vigorous and very hardy; productive.

# BLACKBERRIES

For canning and eating it provides a very healthy and delicious food supply. Plant 3 by 6 feet for market, taking 2,420 to the acre, and in the garden plant 2 feet apart for single rows.

We have dropped all but one variety for this section.

## BEST OF ALL

Among blackberries this variety is exactly what the name says it is. Even during the past summer it was a profitable crop.

The plant is a strong vigorous, upright grower with strong stems. The berries are large, very black, juicy and without hard core.

50c per 10, postpaid; \$2.00 per 100; \$15.00 per 1,000, by express.

By parcel post at same prices, postage C.O.D.

# HORSE RADISH

We have an extra strong growing variety from which to take our sets. Our sets are strong six inch and up cuts with bottom end cut with a slant.

Prices—10 for 25c; 50 for 75c; 100 for \$1.00; 1,000 or more at \$6.00 per 1,000.

# GOOSEBERRIES

As a market fruit there are few crops that are more profitable. Either fresh or canned, it makes splendid sauces and pies. They should be planted 2 feet apart in the row and the rows 4 feet apart, taking 5,450 plants to the acre.

2 year, 25c each; \$1.50 per 10; \$10.00 per 100.

**Downing.**—Fruit medium to large; flesh soft, juicy, and tender; flavor just barely sour; quality good.

**Red Jacket (Josselyn.)**—The leading red variety. Berries medium to large; flesh pulpy and juicy; flavor good. For canning or making jams and jellies, we recommend Josselyn.

# ASPARAGUS

	Per 100	Per 300	Per 1000
1 year .....	\$1.50	\$2.25	\$6.00
2 year .....	1.75	3.50	8.00

By parcel post at above prices, postage C.O.D.

Never put deeper than eight inches below the ground level, cover one inch with soil and two inches over that with manure, never putting manure below or directly on top of the roots. Plant one foot apart for home use. For market 6 feet by 18 inches, making 4,800 roots per acre.

**Palmetto.**—The best of all the older varieties, producing fine large, green stalks.

**Washington.**—A new variety sent out by the Federal Bureau of Plant Industry as being the most rust resistant variety yet known, very similar in growth and size to Palmetto.

Write for special prices on 5,000 lots.



## CURRANTS

They should be planted on ground, made rich with manure, about 2 feet apart and rows 4 feet apart, taking 5,450 plants per acre.

**Wilder.**—The best of all red varieties for general use and market. It is productive, healthy and has good picking stems, also is large and fine colored.

2 years, **20c** each; **\$1.25** per 10, postpaid; **\$10.00** per 100, express.

**Fays Prolific.**—A rather dwarf grower but produces splendid bunches of fine large red fruit. 2 years, **25c** each; **\$1.50** per 10, postpaid.

## BLUEBERRY PLANTS

### WHITESBOG HYBRIDIZED HUCKLEBERRIES

The new large Hybrid Blueberries have been developed by selection and hybridizing to almost unbelievable quality and size. They ripen after raspberries, bearing great crops of delicious fruit on bushes that develop very quickly.

They succeed in any soil that is made slightly acid by the addition of Peat Moss; for 25c extra per bush, we will furnish a sufficient quantity for that purpose.

Planted with Rhododendrons and Azaleas they are in their natural environment.

12 inches, **\$1.50** each postpaid; 12 inches, **\$1.25** each exp. and at nursery; 12 inches, 10 for **\$10.00** exp. and at nursery; 18 inches, **\$2.00** each, **\$17.00** per 10.

**Jersey.**—The newest hybrid and the largest, very late and a good keeper improving in sweetness with time. A bush in its second year produced for us a quart of large apparently seedless fruit.

**Rancocas.** — A slenderer but taller grower that has been the most popular older hybrid among commercial growers.

**Concord.**—A strong, upright grower reaching 6 ft. or more. The young twigs are bright red and many berries are three-quarters inch in diameter and deliciously sweet.



**Jersey**

## ORNAMENTAL TREES

### MAGNOLIAS

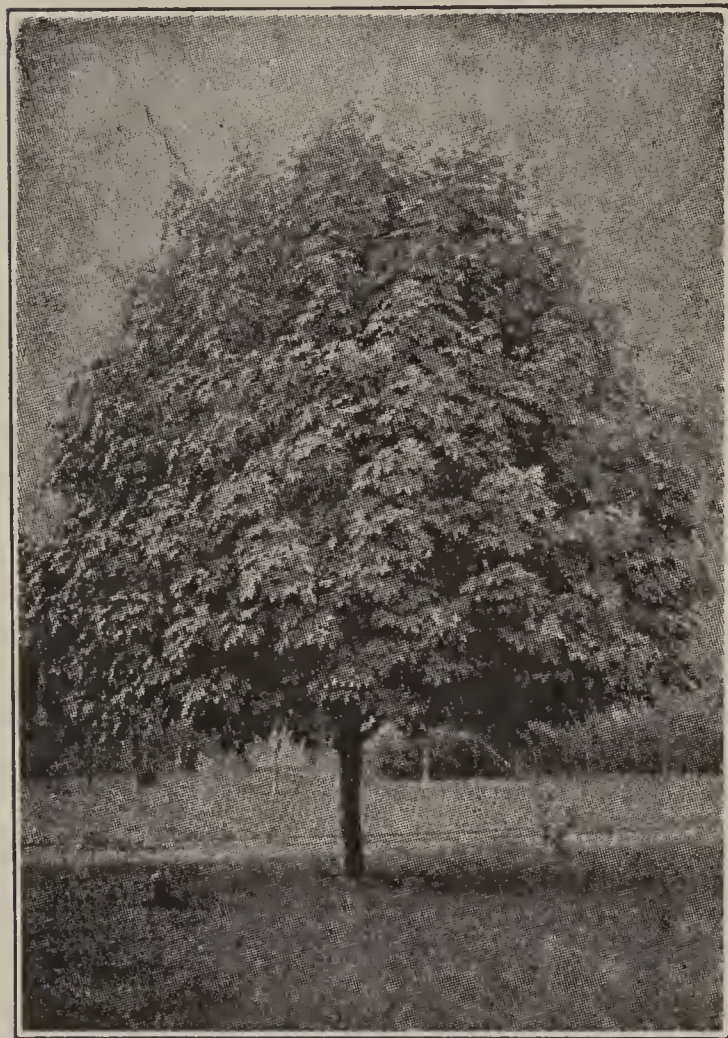
**Magnolia Soulangeana.**—A rather bushy, low branched tree that is covered with blooms before the leaves appear. The flowers are large purplish pink on the outside and white inside. 4 ft., **\$2.00**; 4½ ft., **\$2.50**.

**Magnolia Soulangeana Nigra.** — Similar to the above with purple cup shaped flowers. They are very attractive against the glossy green foliage. Strong growers and very hardy. These have flower buds now. 4 ft., **\$3.00**; 4½ ft., **\$3.50**.

**Magnolia Lennei.**—A very dark purple variety that blooms later than Soulangeana. 4 ft., **\$3.50** each.



## NORWAY MAPLES



They are young and thrifty, grown far enough apart to make good heads, are transplanted frequently to develop exceptional root system, and in every sense as good as can be grown.

**European Mountain Ash.** — Particularly suited to small lawn. Hardy and ornamental with handsome foliage and showy red berries. We recommend this very strongly. 8 to 9 ft., **\$1.50** each; 6 to 8 ft., **\$1.25** each.

**Norway Maples.**—(Acer Platanoides.)—We consider this the best of shade trees.

Without doubt the Norway Maples are considered everywhere the best street trees. The trees offered by us are splendid young stock that will give far better results than inferior trees that have not been transplanted for many years.

Our trees are young, thrifty, well branched and extra fine rooted. You cannot help being well pleased with them.

Norway Maple		Each	Per 2	Per 10
Heihgt	Caliper			
12 to 14 ft. ....	3 inch	<b>\$5.00</b>	<b>\$9.50</b>	<b>\$40.00</b>
11-12 ft. ....	2½ inch	<b>3.50</b>	<b>6.50</b>	<b>30.00</b>
10-11 ft. ....	2¼ inch	<b>3.00</b>	<b>5.50</b>	<b>25.00</b>
9-10 ft. ....	2 inch	<b>2.50</b>	<b>4.50</b>	<b>20.00</b>
8-9 ft. ....	1½ inch	<b>2.00</b>	<b>3.50</b>	<b>15.00</b>
8 ft. ....	1¼ inch	<b>1.50</b>	<b>2.50</b>	<b>12.00</b>

## FLOWERING CHERRIES

Our trees will bloom the first year.

These beautiful flowering trees are attracting their well deserved attention and sufficient demand has warranted us in growing three of the best varieties and you will find our prices reasonable. Nationally admired at Washington, D. C.

4 to 5 ft., **\$1.50**.

**Fugenzo.**—(J. H. Veitch.)—Crimson buds, deep pink double flowers.

**Kofugen.**—Double, deep, pink, crimson buds.

**Kwansan.**—Compact grower with red buds that open deep pink.

**Weeping Double Flowering.**—5 ft. stems, **\$2.50** each; deep pink.

### RED FLOWERING DOGWOOD

**Cornus Florida Rubra.**—This beautiful pink Dogwood is our most attractive flowering tree. The flowers persist for a long time and the foliage is the most beautiful of all trees in fall and early winter, and is justly popular.

2½ to 3 ft. at **\$2.00**, 4½ to 5 ft. at **\$3.00**.

**Cornus Florida.**—White flowering Dogwood.

5 ft. at **\$1.00**, 2 ft., well rooted, at **25c**, 10 for **\$1.50**.



**Oriental Plane.**—The fastest grower of all the good hardy shade trees making it very popular, for the seashore it has no competitor and for poor soil no variety is its equal. The growth is spreading and makes good round head.

8 to 10 ft., **\$2.00** each; 10 to 12 ft., **\$2.50** each.

**Lombardy Poplars.**—Upright slender branched trees used as backgrounds, they are branched to the ground. The tree is becoming more popular each year.

10 ft., **\$1.25** each; **\$10.00** per 10.

**Teas Weeping Mulberry.**—(*Morus Alba Pendula*.)—A true weeping tree, they are grafted 4 to 5 feet from the ground and they form from that point a round head of many branches which droop to the ground. The fruit is abundant and sweet. Our trees are the best we ever saw.

2 year heads, **\$1.75** each; 2 for **\$3.00**, by express.

Teas Mulberry at the nursery at **\$1.25** each.

## DECIDUOUS SHRUBS

Our stock is all fresh dug and extra well rooted and we gladly help you select the kinds best suited for your purpose. We are making varieties dwarf, medium and tall so that you may know the proper ones to plant as background and those that should be in the foreground.

Shrubs on this page by parcel post at prices quoted, postage C.O.D.

**Almond, Double Flowering, Pink and White.**—They bear the best rose colored and white blossoms, respectively, in great profusion in early spring. Dwarf.

2 to 3 ft., **60c** each; one each of pink and white for **\$1.00**.

**Althea, Rose of Sharon.**—We can furnish these in white, red, purple and pink double flowering. Tall upright. 3 ft., **30c** each; one of each color for **\$1.00**.

**Berberis Thunbergii.**—Its beautiful pendulous habit and fine showing of bright red berries make it attractive for clumps and borders. Low and bushy.

15 to 18 inches, **15c** each; **\$1.00** per 10; **\$7.00** per 100.

12 to 15 inches, **10c** each; **.75** per 10; **6.00** per 100.

**Berberis Thunbergii Atropurpurea.**—(Purple Leaved Japanese Berberry.) — A beautiful novelty and very attractive lawn plant for clump or specimen plantings. Color of foliage is bright, shining deep red similar to Japan Maples. Dwarf.

15 in., **35c** each; 3 for **\$1.00**.

**Calycanthus Floridus.**—(Sweet Shrub.)—The old garden sweet shrub bearing chocolate colored fragrant flowers. Medium. 3 ft., **25c** each.

**Cercis Canadensis.**—(American Red Bud.)—Its branches are covered with clusters of rosy pink flowers before the leaves appear, attractive foliage, is called Judas Tree by some. Tall. 4 ft., **50c** each; 3 for **\$1.00**.

**Deutzia Gracilis.**—A round, compact shrub that is very graceful and pretty and when in bloom is a most beautiful mass of white and green. Dwarf.

18 to 24 inches, heavy, bushy clumps, **35c** each; 3 for **\$1.00**.

**Deutzia Lemoinei.**—A dwarf pyramid shrub slightly stronger grower than Gracilis and large flowers. Very handsome during June. Medium dwarf.

2 to 3 ft., **40c** each; 3 for **\$1.00**; 18 to 24 in., **25c** each; 3 for **80c**.

**Deutzia Pride of Rochester.**—White flowering shrub with splendid foliage. When in bloom is a most beautiful mass of white and green. Very tall upright.

4 to 5 ft., **25c** each; 10 for **\$2.00**.

**Forsythia Fortunei.**—Erect branches, large rich green leaves, early yellow flowers. The first shrub to bloom in the spring. Tall.

4 ft., **35c** each; 3 for **\$1.00**.

**Forsythia Spectabilis.**—The finest of all Forsythia, several shades darker than the above, foliage of a darker glossy green. Tall. 3 feet, **30c** each; 3 for **75c**.

**Forsythia Suspensa.**—(Weeping Golden Bell.)—A very valuable garden plant. The branches form arches of gold. Low spreading. 3 to 4 ft., **30c** each; 3 for **50c**.

**Forsythia Virridissima.**—Tall spreading habit and the leaves turn in autumn to rich colorings. Makes a wonderful background. Deep green foliage. Tall.

3 to 4 ft., **30c** each; 3 for **75c**.

**Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora.**—Hardy in all parts of the country; needs no protection in winter. The flowers are pure white afterwards changing to pink and rich coppery red.

2 to 2½ ft., **25c** each; 3 for **60c**; **\$1.50** per 10; **\$2.50** per 20.



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**Lilac, French Hybrids.**—We have several of the newest and best varieties in assorted colors. They blossom very young.

40c each; 3 kinds for \$1.00 for plants with bloom buds.

**Philadelphus Coronarius.**—(Syringa.)—A splendid bush bearing pure white flowers of great fragrance. Tall upright. Also called Mock Orange.

4 to 5 ft., 25c each; 3 for 60c; 10 for \$1.50.

**Potentilla Fruticosa.**—(Cinquefoil.)—The flowers are pure yellow, the bush in bloom is a solid mass of gold. Half dwarf.

2 ft., 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.



**Philadelphus Virginal**

are often over three inches across. The bush grows with the branches at right angles to the main stem, the dark foliage is beautifully crimped. 3 to 4 ft., 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

**Weigela Eva Rathke.**—Bears a beautiful dark rich reddish purple flower and is a very free bloomer. 2 to 3 ft., 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

**Weigela Rosea.**—Flowers medium-sized to large, rose pink. 3 to 4 ft., 25c each.

**Philadelphus Virginal.**—A double white very large fragrant blooms that completely cover the bush in May and June, also gives some bloom all summer. Sweeter than the old fashioned Orange Blossom Syringa.

3 to 4 ft., 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

2 to 3 ft., 30c each; 3 for 75c.

**Spirea Anthony Waterer.**—Very dwarf, constant bloomers from June to October, flowers bright crimson as also is the young growth, a splendid specimen.

18 to 24 in., 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

**Spirea Trichiocarpa.**—(Korean Spirea.) A large dome shaped bush with glossy green foliage, flowers earlier than VauHouttei and in greater profusion, bloom is snowy white marked with darker eyes.

3 to 4 ft., 35c each; 3 for 75c.

**Spirea VanHouttei.**—An upright shrub with graceful, slender branches with bright green foliage. The flowers are of pure white in great clusters by reason of its free blooming habit, presents a magnificent appearance.

18 to 24 in., 20c each; 3 for 50c;

10 for \$1.25; \$10.00 per 100.

**Viburnum Plicatum.**—(Japan Snowball.)—White flowers, large, the balls

are often over three inches across. The bush grows with the branches at right angles to the main stem, the dark foliage is beautifully crimped. 3 to 4 ft., 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

## HEDGING

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**Plant the distance apart as noted in parenthesis.**

**California Privet.**—The well known hedge with glossy green leaves that persist late in winter. It can be sheared to any shape, height and width.

18 to 24 in., (6 inch), 75c per 10; \$2.00 per 100; \$15.00 per 1,000.

2 to 2½ ft., (8 inch), \$1.00 per 10; \$3.00 per 100.

**Berberis Thunbergii.**—Its bright foliage in summer, its many shades after frost until mid-winter and the beautiful red berries during fall and winter are all attractive features. Needs but little care nor do they need shearing.

12 to 15 in., (12 inch), 75c per 10; \$6.00 per 100.

**Spirea Van Houttei.**—For dividing hedge between parts of the lawn or between lawn and garden or between neighbor's there is nothing in the flowering shrub line that can equal it. (See prices above on this page.)



## AZALEAS

They will give wonderful results any place not too close to foundations, provided there is no fresh manure or lime in the soil. Our plants are well budded.

**Azalea Hinodegiri.**—(Evergreen.)—Large leaves and light green, flowers large of bright crimson that is brilliant and charming. It is a profuse bloomer. The most popular of all Azaleas. Every home should have some.

10 to 12 inch with buds .....	60c each	2 for 1.00	4.00 per 10
15 inch, full of buds .....	1.25 each	2 for 2.25	10.00 per 10
15 to 18 inch, full of buds ....	1.50 each	2 for 2.75	14.00 per 10

**Azalea Amoena.**—(Evergreen.)—Flowers are bright rosy purple. Dwarf with small green hairy foliage which turns bronze in fall and winter.

15 inch .....	\$1.20 each	2 for \$2.00	\$ 9.00 per 10
18 inch .....	1.50 each	2 for 2.50	12.00 per 10

**Azalea Amoena Coccinea.**—A new hardy evergreen azalea with the foliage and hardiness of Amoena. The coloring rivals Hinodegiri having large, brilliant red bloom in great profusion.

12 to 15 inch, balled and burlapped, \$1.00 each, 2 for \$1.75.

**Azalea Ledifolia Alba.**—An evergreen, strong growing, heavy flowering variety, bearing very large, pure white bloom which appears later than the varieties listed above.

2 ft., balled and burlapped, \$2.00 each, 2 for \$3.50.

15 to 18 inch, balled and burlapped, \$1.00 each, 2 for \$1.75.

**Azalea Ledifolia Rosea (Magnifica.)**—The same in every way as Alba except the large flowers are rose tinted making it very distinctive.

15 to 18 inches, balled and burlapped, \$1.25 each, 2 for \$2.00.

**Azalea Mucronulatum.**—This blooms with Forsythia and its large flowers of lavender and soft pink tone makes a wonderful color contrast with that flower. The blooms cover the plant before the leaves break out.

2 ft., full of buds, \$1.75 each.

**Azalea Calendulacea.**—The flaming color of the flowers is unequalled by any other spring flowering plant. The colors run from light salmon to deep golden orange and scarlet and usually appear before the foliage is fully developed, the latter part of May or early June.

15 to 18 inch, strong, 50c each, 2 for 80c.

## New Hardy Hybrid Evergreen Azaleas

### KAEMFERI HYBRIDS

This class of Azaleas are the hardiest of the evergreen varieties. The bloom is borne in great profusion, completely covering the entire plant and retains its original coloring. The plants attain a good height with a spread equally large.

We have selected six of the best of a very long list.

Our plants are three-year-old twice transplanted.

15 to 18 inch, well branched and budded, \$1.00 each, 2 for \$1.50... One of each kind for \$4.00.

**Carmen.**—A large rose colored bushy growing variety.

**Cleopatra.**—A very hardy rapid growing upright variety producing an abundance of beautiful old-rose flowers. This makes a striking effect when used in mass plantings with varieties Fedora and Othello.

**Fedora.**—The exceptionally large salmon rose flowers of this variety have won first prizes wherever exhibited here or abroad. The hardiness and vigorous open growing habit recommend this variety especially for outdoor mass planting. Also an excellent forcing variety.

**Louise.**—An extremely large light rose flowering azalea of tall rapid growing habit.

**Othello.**—This brick red flowering variety is very effective when used with Fedora and Cleopatra in mass plantings.

**Zampa.**—The striking large strawberry red flower and the loose open habit of this plant make it one of the most unusual.

## NATIVE RHODODENDRONS

**Catawbiense.**—Large, rosy purple flowers with large trusses and good foliage.

18 to 24 inch, nursery grown .....	\$1.25 each	2 for \$2.25	
2 ft. well budded nursery grown .....	1.50 each	2 for 2.75	
12 inch heavy rooted cut back clumps	75c each	2 for 1.25	10 for \$5.00

**Maximum.**—Light pink and white shaded with lavender, the most beautiful foliage of the Rhododendrons. Splendid in masses.

18 to 24 inch, nursery grown .....	\$1.25 each	2 for \$2.00	10 for \$ 9.00
2 to 2½ ft., nursery grown .....	1.50 each	2 for 2.50	10 for 11.00
2 ft. extra heavy clumps .....	1.75 each	2 for 3.00	10 for 12.50
12 to 15 inch heavy clumps cut back	.60 each	2 for 1.00	10 for 4.00

## HARDY GRAFTED RHODODENDRONS

18 inch, \$2.50 each; 2 to 2½ ft., \$3.00 each.

**America.**—Deep red, hardy, free bloomer.

**Dr. H. C. Dresselhuys.**—Color, aniline red, large petals and trusses and handsome foliage, very hardy, robust grower and good habit.

**Mrs. C. S. Sargent.**—Rosy red or deep pink and the best of its color, good foliage.

**Roseum Elegans.**—Clear rose pink with unexcelled foliage, compact grower.

## CUT-LEAF WEEPING BIRCH

An English Birch with drooping branches from a straight upright stem which as it ages becomes snow white. The leaves are finely cut, a most attractive tree. 5 to 6 ft., \$1.50 each.

## CLIMBING VINES

**English Ivy.**—(Hedera Helix.)—Valuable as an evergreen ground cover or as a cover for wall. 50c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

**Clematis Panicula.**—A fast growing climber that produces great masses of pure white fragrant flowers. Strong plants. 50c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

**Bitter Sweet.**—(Celastrus Scandens.)—A rapid growing vine with large leaves and yellow flowers, scarlet seeds in winter. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$2.50, postpaid.

## EVERGREENS

If you are interested write for our special descriptive price list of beautiful specimens of root-pruned and sheared evergreens that cannot be surpassed.

We have 50 varieties including, **Abies** or **Firs**, **Junipers**, **Taxus** or **Yews**, **Thuya** or **Arbor Vitae**, **Mugho Pine**, **Picea** or **Spruce**, **Hemlock**, **Retinospora** in large selection, **Colorado Blue** and **Kosters Blue Spruce**.

We furnish planning for your plantings without cost.

**REPLACEMENTS.**—With the kind of stock we send out there is none necessary unless the soil or the weather or transportation company is to blame and you cannot expect us to make good these kind of losses. The man who agrees to replace such losses either does not or charges you in the first place many times what replacement would cost.

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